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## News Release

### Durham Police Department

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#### **Durham Police Make Arrest in 2011 Homicide**

Durham police investigators have made an arrest in connection with a July 2011 homicide that happened on Hardee Street near Naples Place.

Officers were dispatched to a shooting call in the 600 block of Hardee Street at 12:06 p.m. on July 5, 2011. When they arrived, they found a male lying in a grassy area in front of an apartment building. The male – Orlando Martinez, 32, of Hardee Street – had been shot. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

The shooting apparently occurred during an altercation.

Investigators have charged Miguel Antonio Meza-Rodriguez, 22, of Durham with murder.

The warrant was served on Meza-Rodriguez Friday morning at the Wake County Jail, where he is awaiting trial on a 2011 Wake County murder.

Meza-Rodriguez was one of seven people charged in connection with the murder of 44-year-old Santiago Hernandez-Arrendendo, which happened on July 17, 2011 off N.C. 98 near Falls Lake in Wake County. Meza-Rodriguez is facing charges of murder, conspiracy to commit murder and robbery with a dangerous weapon in connection with that case.



